## Marking Instructions

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## General Marking Principles for Higher Mathematics

This information is provided to help you understand the general principles you must apply when marking candidate responses to questions in this Paper. These principles must be read in conjunction with the Detailed Marking Instructions, which identify the key features required in candidate responses.
(a) Marks for each candidate response must always be assigned in line with these General Marking Principles and the Detailed Marking Instructions for this assessment.
(b) Marking should always be positive. This means that, for each candidate response, marks are accumulated for the demonstration of relevant skills, knowledge and understanding: they are not deducted from a maximum on the basis of errors or omissions.
(c) Credit must be assigned in accordance with the specific assessment guidelines.
(d) Candidates may use any mathematically correct method to answer questions except in cases where a particular method is specified or excluded.
(e) Working subsequent to an error must be followed through, with possible credit for the subsequent working, provided that the level of difficulty involved is approximately similar. Where, subsequent to an error, the working is easier, candidates lose the opportunity to gain credit.
(f) Where transcription errors occur, candidates would normally lose the opportunity to gain a processing mark.
(g) Scored-out or erased working which has not been replaced should be marked where still legible. However, if the scored-out or erased working has been replaced, only the work which has not been scored out should be judged.
(h) Unless specifically mentioned in the specific assessment guidelines, do not penalise:

- working subsequent to a correct answer
- correct working in the wrong part of a question
- legitimate variations in solutions
- a repeated error within a question


## Definitions of Mathematics-specific command words used in this Paper are:

Determine: obtain an answer from given facts, figures or information;
Expand: multiply out an algebraic expression by making use of the distributive law or a compound trigonometric expression by making use of one of the addition formulae for $\sin (A \pm B)$ or $\cos (A \pm B)$;

Express: use given information to rewrite an expression in a specified form;
Find: obtain an answer showing relevant stages of working;
Hence: use the previous answer to proceed;
Hence, or otherwise: use the previous answer to proceed; however, another method may alternatively be used;

Identify: provide an answer from a number of possibilities;
Justify: show good reason(s) for the conclusion(s) reached;

Show that: use mathematics to prove something, eg that a statement or given value is correct - all steps, including the required conclusion, must be shown;

Sketch: give a general idea of the required shape or relationship and annotate with all relevant points and features;

Solve: obtain the answer(s) using algebraic and/or numerical and/or graphical methods.

Detailed Marking Instructions for each question


| 2 | (a) | $\mathrm{P}(-3,-1) \mathrm{Q}(1,7)$ | 6 |  |
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|  |  | - ${ }^{1}$ rearrange linear equation <br> $\bullet 2$ substitute into circle <br> - ${ }^{3}$ express in standard form <br> - ${ }^{4}$ start to solve <br> - ${ }^{5}$ state roots <br> - ${ }^{6}$ determine corresponding $y$ coordinates |  | Substituting for $y$ <br> - ${ }^{1} y=2 x+5$ stated or implied by $\bullet^{2}$ <br> - ${ }^{2} \ldots(2 x+5)^{2} \ldots-2(2 x+5) \ldots$ <br> $\left.\bullet^{3} \quad 5 x^{2}+10 x-15=0\right\}=0$ must appear at the $\bullet^{3}$ <br> - ${ }^{4}$ eg $\quad 5(x+3)(x-1)$ or $\bullet^{4}$ stage to gain $\bullet^{3}$ <br> - ${ }^{5} x=-3$ and $x=1$ <br> - ${ }^{6} y=-1$ and $y=7$ <br> Substituting for $x$ <br> $\bullet^{1} x=\frac{y-5}{2}$ stated or implied by $\bullet^{2}$ <br> $\bullet^{2}\left(\frac{y-5}{2}\right)^{2} \ldots-6\left(\frac{y-5}{2}\right) \ldots$ <br> $\left.\begin{array}{ll}\bullet^{3} & 5 y^{2}-30 y-35=0 \\ \bullet{ }^{4} \text { eg } & 5(y+1)(y-7)\end{array}\right\} \begin{aligned} & =0 \text { must appear at the } \bullet^{3} \\ & \text { or } \bullet^{4} \text { stage to gain } \bullet^{3}\end{aligned}$ <br> - $5=-1$ and $y=7$ <br> - ${ }^{6} x=-3$ and $x=1$ |
| Notes |  | 1At $\bullet^{4}$ the quadratic must lead to two real distinct roots for $\bullet^{5}$ and $\bullet^{6}$ to be2available. <br> 3$\quad$Cross marking is available here for $\bullet^{5}$ and $\bullet^{6}$. <br> Candidates do not need to distinguish between points P and Q . |  |  |


| 2 | (b) | $(x+5)^{2}+(y-5)^{2}=40$ <br> $\bullet^{7}$ centre of original circle <br> $\bullet^{8}$ radius of original circle <br> Method 1: Using midpoint <br> $\bullet{ }^{9}$ midpoint of chord <br> $\bullet{ }^{10}$ evidence for finding new centre <br> - ${ }^{11}$ centre of new circle <br> $\bullet{ }^{12}$ equation of new circle <br> Method 2: Stepping out using $P$ and $Q$ <br> $-{ }^{9}$ evidence of $\mathrm{C}_{1}$ to P or $\mathrm{C}_{1}$ to Q <br> ${ }^{10}$ evidence of Q to $\mathrm{C}_{2}$ or $P$ to $\mathrm{C}_{2}$ <br> - ${ }^{11}$ centre of new circle <br> $\bullet{ }^{12}$ equation of new circle | 6 | - ${ }^{7}(3,1)$ <br> $\bullet^{8} \sqrt{40}$ accept $r^{2}=40$ <br> Method 1: Using midpoint <br> ${ }^{\bullet}{ }^{9}(-1,3)$ <br> ${ }^{10}$ eg stepping out or midpoint formula <br> $\bullet^{11}(-5,5)$ <br> - ${ }^{12}(x+5)^{2}+(y-5)^{2}=40$ <br> Method 2: Stepping out using P and Q <br> - ${ }^{9}$ eg stepping out or vector approach <br> - ${ }^{10}$ eg stepping out or vector approach <br> $\bullet^{11}(-5,5)$ <br> $\bullet^{12}(x+5)^{2}+(y-5)^{2}=40$ |
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| Not |  | 4 The evidence for $\bullet^{7}$ <br> 5 Centre $(-5,5)$ witho <br> in method 2 may still <br> working in method <br> 6 $\bullet^{10}, \bullet^{11}$ or $\bullet^{12}$. <br> 7 The centre must hav not accept, eg $\sqrt{\text { Do }}$ <br> The evidence for $\bullet^{8}$ <br> equation of the seco |  | may appear in (a). <br> king in method 1 may still gain ${ }^{12}$ but not $\bullet{ }^{10}$ or $\bullet^{11}$, $\bullet^{12}$ but not $\bullet^{9}, \bullet^{10}$ or $\bullet^{11}$. Any other centre without not gain $\bullet^{10}, \bullet^{11}$ or $\bullet^{12}$, in method 2 does not gain $\bullet^{9}$, clearly indicated before it is used at the $\bullet^{12}$ stage. 39.69 , or any other approximations for $\bullet^{12}$. t appear until the candidate states the radius or le. |
| 3 |  | $-7<p<5$ <br> ${ }^{-1}$ substitute into discriminant <br> - ${ }^{2}$ know condition for no real roots <br> - ${ }^{3}$ factorise <br> - ${ }^{4}$ solve for $p$ | 4 | $\begin{aligned} & \bullet(p+1)^{2}-4 \times 1 \times 9 \\ & \bullet^{2} b^{2}-4 a c<0 \\ & \bullet^{3}(p-5)(p+7)<0 \\ & \bullet-7<p<5 \end{aligned}$ |


| 4 |  | $\frac{27}{4}$ <br> - ${ }^{1}$ know to integrate and interpret limits <br> - ${ }^{2}$ use "upper-lower" <br> - ${ }^{3}$ integrate <br> - ${ }^{4}$ substitute limits <br> - ${ }^{5}$ evaluate area | 5 | ${ }^{1} \int_{-3}^{0} \ldots \ldots \ldots$ <br> - $\int_{-3}^{0}\left(x^{3}+3 x^{2}+2 x+3\right)-(2 x+3) d x$ <br> - $\frac{1}{4} x^{4}+x^{3}$ <br> - ${ }^{4} 0-\left(\frac{1}{4}(-3)^{4}+(-3)^{3}\right)$ <br> - $5 \frac{27}{4}$ units $^{2}$ |
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| Notes |  | ```Where a candidate differentiates one or more terms at \bullet 茥 then \bullet4 and \bullet '5 are not available. \\ Candidates who substitute without integrating at \(\bullet^{2}\) do not gain \(\bullet^{3}, \bullet^{4}\) and \(\bullet^{5}\). Candidates must show evidence that they have considered the upper limit 0 at \({ }^{4}\). \\ Where candidates show no evidence for both \(\bullet^{3}\) and \(\bullet^{4}\), but arrive at the correct area, then \(\bullet^{3}, \bullet^{4}\) and \(\bullet^{5}\) are not available. \\ The omission of \(d x\) at \(\bullet^{2}\) should not be penalised.``` |  |  |
| 5 | (a) | $\overrightarrow{\mathrm{OB}}=4 \mathbf{i}+4 \mathbf{j}$ <br> - ${ }^{1}$ state $\overrightarrow{O B}$ in unit vector form | 1 | ${ }^{1} 4 \mathbf{i}+4 \mathbf{j}$ |
| 5 | (b) | $\begin{aligned} & \overrightarrow{\mathrm{DB}}=\left(\begin{array}{c} 2 \\ 2 \\ -6 \end{array}\right) \\ & \overrightarrow{\mathrm{DM}}=\left(\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ -2 \\ -6 \end{array}\right) \end{aligned}$ | 3 |  |
|  |  | - ${ }^{2}$ state components of $\overrightarrow{D B}$ <br> - ${ }^{3}$ state coordinates of $M$ <br> - ${ }^{4}$ state components of $\overline{D M}$ |  | $\bullet^{2}\left(\begin{array}{c} 2 \\ 2 \\ -6 \end{array}\right)$ <br> ${ }^{3}(2,0,0)$ stated, or implied by $\bullet^{4}$ $\cdot 4\left(\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ -2 \\ -6 \end{array}\right)$ |


| 5 | (c) | $40 \cdot 3^{\circ}$ or 0.703 rads | 5 |  |
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|  |  | $-{ }^{5}$ know to use scalar product <br> - ${ }^{6}$ find scalar product <br> $\bullet^{7}$ find magnitude of a vector <br> $\bullet{ }^{8}$ find magnitude of a vector <br> - ${ }^{9}$ evaluate angle BDM |  | $\bullet{ }^{5} \cos \mathrm{BD} M=\frac{\overrightarrow{\mathrm{DB}} \cdot \overrightarrow{\mathrm{DM}}}{\|\overrightarrow{\mathrm{DB}}\| \cdot\|\overrightarrow{\mathrm{DM}}\|}$ stated or implied by $\bullet 9$ <br> -6 $\overrightarrow{\mathrm{DB}} \cdot \overrightarrow{\mathrm{DM}}=32$ <br> - $7\|\overrightarrow{\mathrm{DB}}\|=\sqrt{44}$ <br> - $\|\overrightarrow{D M}\|=\sqrt{40}$ <br> - ${ }^{9} 40.3^{\circ}$ or 0.703 rads |
| Notes |  |  |  |  |
| 6 |  | $\frac{27}{2}$ <br> - ${ }^{1}$ use distributive law <br> -2 calculate scalar product <br> - ${ }^{3}$ calculate scalar product <br> - ${ }^{4}$ process scalar product <br> =0 and complete | 4 | ${ }^{-1}$ p.p+p.q+p.r <br> -2 p.p $=9$ <br> - ${ }^{3}$ p. $q=\frac{9}{2}$ <br> - ${ }^{4}$ p.r $=0$ and $\frac{27}{2}$ |
| 7 | (a) | $k \approx 0.028$ <br> ${ }^{1}{ }^{1}$ interpret half-life <br> - ${ }^{2}$ process equation <br> - ${ }^{3}$ write in logarithmic form <br> ${ }^{4}{ }^{4}$ process for $k$ | 4 | - $\frac{1}{2} P_{0}=P_{0} e^{-25 k}$ stated or implied by $\bullet^{2}$ <br> - $2 e^{-25 k}=\frac{1}{2}$ <br> - ${ }^{3} \log _{e} \frac{1}{2}=-25 k$ <br> ${ }^{\bullet}{ }^{4} k \approx 0.028$ |
| Notes |  | 1 Do not penalise candidates who substitute a numerical value for $P_{0}$ in part (a). |  |  |




[END OF EXEMPLAR MARKING INSTRUCTIONS]

